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IT CAME TO NAUGHT.

Coal Conference at the White House Ended in a Failure.

The Presidents of the Railroads and Coal Companies Refused to Arbitrate and Denounced the Miners' Labor Organization.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The coal conference between the president and representatives of the operators and the miners came to an end at the temporary white house Friday afternoon with a failure to reach an agreement. Apparently the rock upon which the conference split was recognition of the miners' union.

The president had urged the contending parties to cease strife in the interests of the public welfare. The miners, through the president of their union, had expressed a willingness to submit differences to arbitration of a tribunal to be named by the president and to enter into an agreement to abide by terms fixed by the arbitrators for a period of from one to five years. The employers, through the president of the railroad and coal companies and a leading independent mine operator, had squarely refused arbitration, had denounced the miners' labor organization as a lawless and anarchistic body with which they could and would have no dealings; had demanded federal troops to ensure complete protection to workers and their families in the mining region, and court proceedings against the miners' union, and had offered, if the men returned to work, to submit grievances at individual collieries to the decision of the judges of the court of common pleas for the district of Pennsylvania, in which the colliery was located.

It was a remarkable chapter in the economic history of the country that was written Friday. For the first time the president of the republic had intervened directly between the great forces of capital and labor in an effort to avert what he himself regarded as a great national calamity. The result was to bring the principals in the great controversy face to face with the whole country eagerly intent and watchful of their doings. Technically the issues between the two great forces stand as they did before the president's intervention. The representatives of the contending forces, the national capital, and forgetting his own acute suffering, brought them for love of the great country wherein they dwell, and out of pity for the countless throng of suffering poor to adjust their differences and work together in peace for the common weal.

Friday the views of the contending forces in the great industrial struggle were so extreme and wide apart that there was no middle ground possible and so the conference came to an end without any agreement for its continuation.

The conference had lasted six hours, including a recess of three hours, between the morning and afternoon sessions taken to enable the miners and operators to prepare a written response to the president's appeal.

The president entered at once on the business in hand by reading a statement which he had carefully prepared urging a settlement of the strike in the interests of the public. His manner was exceedingly serious and his voice showed his deep feeling. At most immediately after the president had closed Mr. Mitchell arose and on behalf of the miners declared his willingness to accept the president's statement which he had carefully prepared urging a settlement of the strike in the interests of the public. His manner was exceedingly serious and his voice showed his deep feeling. At most immediately after the president had closed Mr. Mitchell arose and on behalf of the miners declared his willingness to accept the president's statement which he had carefully prepared urging a settlement of the strike in the interests of the public.

The operators made it plain that they would listen to no proposition whatever emanating from Mr. Mitchell. At was five minutes of 5 o'clock when the conference ended. The operators came down stairs and held a brief consultation and then left in their carriages for their train. Several of them declared the conference of the president had resulted in retarding rather than forwarding the settlement. They asserted that no progress had been made and said they would return to continue the contest. They declared the situation was most serious as to coal supply, but said that coal would be furnished to the public and that if given protection they could get down to mine coal to at least 70 per cent. of their capacity. They said there would be no compromise and that the strike would continue until the miners succumbed. They asserted their determination to make no concessions.

Another conference. President and cabinet again considered the coal situation.

Washington, Oct. 6.—In an earnest effort to expedite the adjustment of the coal strike problem, another conference over the situation was held at the white house Sunday and adjourned after three hours of deliberations. No statement was given out as to the conclusions reached and every participant absolutely refused to discuss what had taken place during the meeting. The conference was called for in view of the importance of the question of the coal strike to the American people. Only four of the members of the cabinet were present. This however was significant only of the fact that three of these four were lawyers and that the issue involved was one which called for the deliberation of trained legal minds.

In this state of absolute reticence of the parties to the conference it is almost impossible to do more than draw the most general conclusions as to the nature of the proceedings based upon what preceded the meeting. Known facts are that the president reached the conclusion that

THE NATIONAL GUARDS.

Entire Division in Pennsylvania Ordered Out.

All Men Who Desire to Work in the Mines and Their Families Are to Have Ample Military Protection.

Harrisburg, Pa., October 7.—Gov. Stone late Monday night ordered out the entire division of the national guard of Pennsylvania to duty in the anthracite coal regions. The soldiers will be in the field Tuesday. The order calling out the guard is as follows: "Headquarters National Guard, Adjutant-General's Office, Harrisburg, Pa., October 6.—To the commandants of the counties of Luzerne, Schuylkill, Carbon, Lackawanna, Susquehanna, Northumberland and Columbia, tumult and riots frequently occur, and mob law reigns, men who desire to work have been beaten and driven away, and their families threatened. Railroad trains have been delayed, stoned and the tracks torn up. The civil authorities are unable to maintain order and have called upon the governor and commander-in-chief of the national guard for troops. The situation grows more serious each day. The territory involved is so extensive that the troops now on duty are insufficient to prevent all disorders. The presence of the entire division national guard of Pennsylvania is necessary in these counties to maintain the public peace.

The major-general commanding will place the entire division on duty, distributing them in such localities as will render them most effective for preserving the public peace.

"As tumults, riots, mobs and disorders usually occur when men attempt to work in and about the coal mines, he will see that all men who desire to work and their families have ample military protection. He will protect all trains and other property from unlawful interference and will arrest all persons engaging in acts of violence and intimidation and hold them under guard until their release will not endanger the public peace; will see that threats, intimidations, assaults and all acts of violence cease at once. The public peace and order will be preserved upon all occasions and no interference whatever will be permitted with officers and men in the discharge of their duties under this order. The dignity and authority of the state must be maintained and her power to suppress all lawlessness within her borders be asserted.

"By order of," "WILLIAM A. STONE, Governor and Commander-in-Chief. The formal order was given out at the executive mansion shortly before 11 o'clock Monday night by Private Secretary Gerwig.

Gov. Stone called a conference of the general officers of the guard, at which it was decided to place these troops in the field. Those present at the conference were Maj. Gen. Miller, Gen. Gobin, of the 3rd brigade; Col. Schall, of the 1st brigade; Col. Hulings, of the 10th regiment, who represented Gen. Wiley, of the 2nd brigade, who is in Kansas; Assistant Adj. Gen. Elliott, and Assistant Quartermaster Gen. Richardson.

MITCHELL ISSUES ADDRESS. Counsels the Strikers to Abstain From Deeds of Violence.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 7.—The conference between Mr. Mitchell and the district presidents continued until 11:15 p. m. at 11:30 o'clock, when the president of the national guard, Mr. Mitchell, issued an address to the miners' strike fund to 2 per cent. of the wages of its members, which will make the weekly contribution about \$1,800 to \$2,000.

Money was contributed by the Central Federated Labor union at its meeting Sunday. Some unions assessed their members at the rate of 2 per cent. of their wages. Other unions made lump sum contributions.

West Virginia Strike Ends. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 6.—A telegram was received at strike headquarters Sunday announcing that the strike of the employees of the Kanawha and West Virginia Coal Co., involving between 5,000 and 6,000 men, in West Virginia has ended satisfactorily to both sides.

BURGULARS AT MINNEAPOLIS. The Police Are Unable to Cope With the Thieves.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 6.—Police Superintendent Sunday night issued a warning to the public that his force was "notoriously inadequate" to cope with the burglars and porch climbers now at work in this city. The thieves have secured fully \$100,000 in plunder the last four days, the latest victim being Thomas Lowry, the millionaire railroad magnate, whose home was robbed of \$25,000 in jewelry Saturday night.

Superintendent Walte's warning to the public is accompanied by suggestions from the chief of detectives as to the best methods of frustrating burglaries until the police force can be sufficiently augmented to better protect the residence district.

ATTEMPTED LYNCHING. The Mob Failed to Batter Down the Doors to the Cell.

Lincolnton, N. C., Oct. 6.—A mob of men Sunday afternoon gathered in front of the jail here and attempted to batter down the doors to the cell in which Elliott, a Negro charged with having criminally assaulted a white woman near this place, but they failed to batter down the doors to the cell in which Elliott was confined. It is feared that further attempts of violence will be made, and in answer to a telegram from Judge Hoke, of this county, Gov. Aycock has ordered a special term of court to be called for the Negro's trial.

Confagration in Amoy. Shanghai, Oct. 6.—News received here from Amoy says the fire there was spread to the British concession, three foreign warehouses and the custom house are burning.

GOLDEN JUBILEE.

Rt. Rev. Wm. McCloskey, of Louisville, Fiftieth Year as a Priest.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 6.—Twenty thousand persons gathered in the vicinity of the Cathedral of the Assumption in this city Sunday afternoon to witness a parade composed of 5,000 Catholics in honor of the first day's celebration of the golden jubilee of Rt. Rev. Wm. McCloskey, bishop of the diocese of Louisville. The procession was reviewed by the aged prelate, who sat in front of the cathedral, surrounded by the clergy of Louisville and a number of city officials.

The principal features Monday was a mass for the children and the arrival of Catholic dignitaries and clergy from all parts of the United States.

The principal ceremonies marking Bishop McCloskey's fiftieth year as a priest took place Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, when the bishop celebrated solemn pontifical high mass at the Cathedral of the Assumption. This ceremony was attended by about seventy-five prominent clergymen from other cities and by Gov. Beckham and other state officials.

Bishop McCloskey, who is a native of Brooklyn, has been in charge of the Louisville diocese for 30 years. He was ordained a priest in 1852 by Archbishop Hughes in New York. He was at one time rector of the American college in Washington.

COLUMBIA FAVORED. It May Be Selected By Kentucky Methodists For a School Site.

Columbia, Ky., Oct. 6.—At the session of the Louisville M. E. conference, in the discussion on the location of the Methodist training school, Dr. R. W. Brodhead, chairman of the educational board of the Louisville conference, stated the conditions upon which the school would be established in Columbia. Dr. Gross Alexander, secretary of the conference, spoke in favor of Columbia. Gov. J. R. Hindman, Judge Garnett and Judge W. W. Jones all strongly endorsed Columbia.

The conference subscribed \$4,510 toward the school and the balance is forthcoming.

GILMOUR A BANKRUPT. He Owes \$33,969.79 and He Has No Assets.

Owensboro, Ky., Oct. 4.—Hugh Gilmour filed a petition in bankruptcy here Friday. He owes \$33,969.79, and has no assets. His largest creditors are M. McNamara & Sons, Liverpool, England, which firm he owes \$9,739.62, and his mother, Mrs. Sue Gilmour, to whom he owes \$12,675.50. He owes the National Deposit and Savings bank of this city, respectively \$4,000 and \$2,369.54. He is a tobacco dealer.

WHAT ONE BULLET DID. Passed Through a Girl's Knee and Fatally Wounded Grandmother.

Olive Hill, Ky., Oct. 4.—At Reeder Post Office, Nannie, the 8-year-old daughter of Joe Gilmour, dropped a revolver. The weapon discharged a bullet passed through her knee, and took off one of the fingers of her grandmother, aged 80. The ball lodged in the aged lady's temple, and she will die. The doctors say the girl's leg will have to be amputated above the knee.

Brought Back Home. Hopkinsville, Ky., Oct. 7.—The funeral of Lieut. Commander William Venable Bronaugh, whose remains arrived here from the Brooklyn navy yard, was held Monday morning at the residence of his brother, John T. Bronaugh. The interment was in Hopewell cemetery.

Against Class Room Cheating. Lexington, Ky., Oct. 4.—At the State college, the "Honest Effort association" has been organized to begin a systematic campaign against cheating in classroom work in the student body, and to create a higher moral code. The idea of the association is not to report on others for cheating, but for each member to pledge himself not to cheat, either in the recitations or on examinations.

Will Attend Detroit Conference. Lexington, Ky., Oct. 6.—Mayor Duncan appointed Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, John R. Allen, Alex. Pearson, W. P. Kimball, W. H. May, Henry Zitt, T. R. Morgan and W. R. Smith delegates to the conference to seek a means of settling the strike, at Detroit Thursday.

Insane Patient Suicides. Hopkinsville, Ky., Oct. 7.—Miss Susan Wolfe, a patient at the Western lunatic asylum, 26 years old, suicided in her cell by hanging herself from the transom with the ribbon taken from her hair. She was from Marshall county.

Veterans Are Reorganized. Lexington, Ky., Oct. 6.—At a meeting of the Confederate Veterans Association of Kentucky, which was a practical organization of the 27 camps was effected. Several camps had ceased to bear the relative number of members.

Conductor Knocked From a Car. Hopkinsville, Ky., Oct. 7.—Conductor Sam Ingram, of the Louisville & Nashville local freight train, was knocked from the ladder of the car and taken up unconscious. He lies in a critical condition at his home in Earlinton.

Physician Found Dead in the Woods. Hickman, Ky., Oct. 7.—Dr. C. R. Utley, of Murray, Ky., was found dead by the side of the highway in the woods near here. A pistol was by his side. It is not known whether Dr. Utley was murdered or committed suicide.

Surprised Their Friends. Mentor, Ky., Oct. 6.—The announcement of the marriage of E. W. Williams, of this place, and Miss Rebecca Otten, of Bellevue, Ky., was quite a surprise to their many friends. The marriage was solemnized at the residence of Mr. Stephen Daniels here on September 11.

Price of Oil Advanced. New York, Oct. 7.—The Standard Oil Co. Monday advanced the price of refined petroleum from 8 to 8 1/2 cents. The increased demand for oil, because of the coal strike, is believed to be the cause.

LAYING THE CABLE.

Canada-Australian Line Will Be Completed Soon.

The Ship Anglia, Now at Honolulu, Will Lay the Cable Between Fanning and the Suva, Fiji Islands.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 7.—Word has just been received here that the cable ship Anglia, bound for the Pacific cable one mile off Fanning island cable station at 11 o'clock Monday morning, having laid 3,455 nautical miles of cable between the station on Vancouver island and that point since 2:30 p. m. on September 18. Everything went splendidly throughout the voyage and there was not a hitch of any kind. This now leaves the section of 2,100 nautical miles between Fanning island and Suva, in the Fiji islands, to complete the Canadian-Australian cable.

The cable ship Anglia, now at Honolulu, will lay that section, which problem will be completed before the end of the present month.

Honolulu, September 25, via San Francisco, October 7.—The cable ship Anglia arrived Monday from London by way of the Suez canal. She left Nagasaki September 25. The vessel will remain here two weeks, awaiting the arrival of the Anglia, which is at present laying the cable from Victoria to a point within five miles of Fanning island. The Anglia will then take up the work and complete the cable to Fanning island, from Fanning island to Suva.

Gov. Dole suspended Auditor Austin from the position of auditor of the territory September 25 and appointed Henry C. Meyers, deputy auditor, to temporarily fill the vacancy. The governor charged Austin with borrowing money for his own individual use from government employees who handled public money.

ON A HUNTING EXPEDITION. Anxiety Felt For the Safety of Consul Garrett at Laredo, Tex.

Laredo, Tex., October 7.—Anxiety is felt here for the safety of Alonzo Garrett, of West Virginia, United States consul at New Laredo. Mr. Garrett and a party left for a hunting expedition to the Sierra Madre mountains in the interior of Mexico. The party was last heard from September 9, when Mr. Garrett wrote that they would return on September 25. Since then no word has been received from the party. Alarmed over Consul Garrett's absence, Consul Gen. Hanna, at Monterey, informed the state department at Washington. The Washington authorities in turn notified the Mexican government, which has sent out searching parties to look for the missing officer and party.

FOUR PRISONERS ESCAPE. They Cut Through the Bar of Storage Room of the West Virginia Prison.

Wheeling, W. Va., October 7.—Four prisoners, William Gardner, William Palmer, colored, and Calvin Grose and John Runer, escaped from the West Virginia penitentiary, at Moundsville, Monday night. They obtained possession of a saw and cut through the bars of the storage room window, through which they escaped. Their escape was discovered ten minutes later and capture is momentarily expected.

THE COAL LANDS. New Haven's Council Wants Them Declared Public Property.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 7.—After one of the hottest debates in the history of the city's municipal boards the aldermen Monday night passed a resolution to be sent to President Roosevelt. It calls upon the president to "immediately declare the coal lands public property, and to have them held so and worked by the government just as Abraham Lincoln rose superior to a greater difficulty in emancipating the negro. A committee will be sent to the Detroit convention on October 9.

American Federation of Labor. Washington, Oct. 7.—The executive council of the American Federation of Labor began a week's sessions here Monday. The report of the secretary and treasurer showed the federation to be in excellent condition; that an increase of more than 200,000 members has been gained in the last four months.

The Philippine Census. Washington, Oct. 7.—Secretary Root has designated Brig. Gen. Sanger to conduct the census in the Philippines. He has also detailed to assist Gen. Sanger in this work two experts in the persons of H. W. Gannett, of the geological survey and Victor H. Olmstead, of the department of labor.

French Miners May Strike. Paris, Oct. 7.—The delegates to the national committee of French miners met Monday to decide whether an immediate general strike is to be ordered. Agitation in favor of this measure has been in progress for some time.

A National Holiday. Havana, Oct. 7.—The house of representatives Monday voted to proclaim October 10, the anniversary of the beginning of the war of 1895, a national holiday, and to erect statues to Guespedes, Agramonte, Maceo and Garcia.

Premier Dr. Szell to Resign. Vienna, Oct. 7.—It is rumored here that Premier Dr. Szell, of Hungary, intends to resign on account of the difficulties that have arisen with Austria with regard to the Ausgleich, or pact of union, negotiations. The rumor lacks confirmation.

Viceroy Liu Kan Yi Is Dead. Shanghai, Oct. 7.—Liu Kan Yi, aged 64, the famous viceroy of Nanking, died Monday. For over twenty-five years with Chang Chi Tung, he ruled over the greater part of the Yangtze valley.

THE POSTAL SERVICE.

Net Deficit of \$2,961,170 For the Past Year.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Auditor Castle, for the post office department, Monday balanced the books of the postal service for the year ended June 30, 1902, and the result showed the following as the year's business of the entire postal service: Gross receipts, \$121,848,047; total expenditures, \$124,809,217; net deficit, \$2,961,170.

The gross receipts of postal revenues exceed those of the previous year by about \$10,245,454, and the deficit is more than one million dollars less than the previous year notwithstanding heavy extra expenditures for rural free delivery.

ISLAND OF GUAM SHAKEN. One Hundred and Eighty Earthquakes in Twenty-Four Hours.

Manila, Oct. 7.—The collier Austin, which has just arrived here from Guam, brings reports of a series of severe earthquakes there September 22, as the result of which the marine barracks at Agaña and other buildings collapsed and much other damage was done. Two natives were killed. One hundred and eighty shocks were experienced in 24 hours. The population was terrorized and fled from the buildings and encamped outside.

The Austin will return to Guam with lumber and other material for the reconstruction of the government buildings.

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Be sure to hear Kehoe speak on the third Monday in this month.

Paymaster General Bates, in his annual report, states that the approximate cost of the Spanish War on account of pay to volunteers and regulars and mileage to officers \$73,968,440.

The early call of a convention to nominate candidates for Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney, to be voted for next fall, is evidently meeting with a good deal of disapproval. Two communications on the subject are published in the News this week. If the committee finds that it has erred in the matter, it will doubtless reconsider the action and fix a later date.

There could hardly be an objection from any source to a later convention, while to the date already named, a considerable amount of opposition is already apparent.

Speaking by Mr. Kehoe.

Congressman James N. Kehoe will speak at the court house in Louisa on Monday, October 20th, at one o'clock p. m., in interest of his candidacy for re-election to Congress.

Everybody is invited to come out and hear him discuss the issues of the day. He is an able speaker and it will repay anyone to hear him.

At a meeting of the Democratic Committee for the Twentieth Judicial District, held at Catlettsburg, Ky., on September 16, 1902, it was ordered that a convention be held at the Court house in each of the counties composing said Judicial District on November 15, 1902, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of appointing delegates to attend a convention to be held at Louisa, Ky., on November 20, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m., to nominate Democratic candidates to vote for in the November election 1903 for the offices of Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney of said district. The basis of representation will be one vote for each 200 cast for W. J. Bryan in 1900.

ROBERT DIXON, Chairman,
J. P. HANNAH, Secretary.

NOTICE.

We will make you the best flour on the market highest Patent Emerald at 4.65. Our Old Gold flour needs no recommendation as every one knows its quality as a 2nd flour at \$4.15. Primrose Flour is the best 3rd grade in existence at \$3.45. This flour is made from Limestone Wheat and is unsurpassed for good Flour. Bran \$1. per 100 lb. We invite your patronage.

Louisa Milling Company.

Secretary Cortelyou announced last night that the recent severe strain on the President would necessitate extreme quiet for the next week or ten days to prevent a setback.

The Postoffice Department yesterday, for the first time, was able to telegraph as far north as Eagle, Alaska. The telegram stated that a contract had been awarded for carrying the mails from Fort Yukon to Beaulieu, above the Arctic Circle, for \$500 a round trip of 600 miles.

Tutt's Pills
This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure
Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness
AND ALL DISEASES arising from a
Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion
The natural result is good appetite and solid flesh. Dose small; elegantly sugar coated and easy to swallow.
Take No Substitute.

KINNER.

Several of the young boys attended the evaporator of Henry Burks tonight.
John Loar will go to John's Creek Friday.
Miss Georgia Buskirk visited her cousin Miss Grovie Loar Sunday.
Ernest Jackson has been visiting at Wm. Vanhooses.

Grovie Loar and Lucy Skeens were at Lewis Atkins last Monday.
Coon Kinner was in W. Va. recently.

Miss Grovie Loar one of West Virginia's pretty girls was in Ky. last Sunday.

Some of the young folks contemplate a visit to Seelick next Sunday. Squack.

History of Big Sandy Valley.

The Big Sandy News has a few copies of Ely's History of the Big Sandy Valley still on hands and will sell them out at one dollar each. The original price was \$2.25. Most of those we have are very slightly discolored on the cover by dampness.

SPRINGDALE.

Miss Mollie Berry was shopping in Louisa Tuesday.

Mrs. Della Carter, of Blaine, visited at Cox Carters, Sunday.

Mitt Pigg and sister, Miss Alvah, of Bussycville visited Mollie C. Graham Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Virgie Moore is staying at her uncle Reub Cornutte's.

Naaman Borders and wife of Georges Creek, are visiting relatives at this place.

Sue Carter was at Blaine Sunday and Monday.

Miss Lora Pigg visited Mollie Berry one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wellman and little son visited Mrs. Wellman's father, Saturday and Sunday.

Jack Cornutte's new house is nearing completion.

Several from this place attended Daniel's creek meeting Sunday.

Miss Cora Burton attended church at Dry Ridge Sunday.

Misses Kate and Mollie C. Graham were shopping at Blaine Saturday.

"We Two."

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

On account of the annual encampment, G. A. R., Washington, D. C., Oct. 6 to 11, 1902, the C. & O. railway will sell excursion tickets from any point on the Big Sandy division to Washington city and return for \$10. Tickets on sale from Oct. 3d to 6th, good returning Oct. 14. May be extended to Nov. 3 by depositing ticket and paying 50c fee. 10-3.

BLAINE.

We feel assured that the teachers association on the 15th will be by far the most successful ever held at this place. There will be a fruit festival on the night of the association. A large crowd is expected and every one is cordially invited.

We would be glad if more in the neighborhood would take interest in the Sunday school work for our S. S. is going down for lack of attendance.

Mrs. M. F. Chaffin was the guest of her mother and sisters on Irish creek last week.

Several of the young folks from here attended church at Brushy Sunday.

C. M. Elam, who is teaching school on the river, visited home folks last week.

R. F. Walter is visiting home folks this week.

John T. Moore and children, of Little Blaine, are visiting relatives here.

G. E. Fugitt, of Louisa, was in town Friday. Ishmael.

Collapsible

Poultry Coop.

Patented coop for shipping poultry. Strong and durable. When empty the coop is collapsible so that it may be made to occupy only one-fifth to one-tenth the space it does when in use, making the return shipping and handling much more economical and convenient. Every merchant should have a supply of these patent coops. Apply to L. D. Boggs, Louisa, Ky.

DONTATHAN.

Andy Compton who has been very low with typhoid fever is improving.

Prof. B. D. McCormick will begin a singing school here Saturday. Our Sunday School is in a flourishing condition.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Vinson were visitors in Wayne Monday.

H. W. Lambert of Torchlight visited home folks Sunday.

Dr. Bromley, of Louisa, has been waiting where he had been with a large drove of mules.

Lace and John Brannham attended the County Fair in Louisa Saturday.

Millard Wallace and John Babers attended the association on Blaine last week.

The M. P. S. and Sunday School rally will be held here the second Sunday in October.

Let us hear from Rocky Valley and Tudell.

Danah.

(Too late for last week.)

PIKEVILLE.

Ex-County Judge, Bart Belcher, died yesterday after an illness of several weeks. Judge Belcher was an industrious and able lawyer, made an excellent officer, and was noted for his kindness to the poor. E. S. Ferguson, editor of The Pikeville Independent is still very low at this writing.

There are several cases of fever here, among which we note the following: Mrs. J. G. Bentley and son and daughter of Roscoe Vanover, and Mr. G. W. Pinson. The last two mentioned are better now.

Miss Alice Roberson is now having quite a success with the Junior Epworth League of the M. E. Church South.

The Methodist Churches here made a quilt which was sold by tickets and gave a supper last Thursday night for the benefit of the two churches, realizing about \$40.

Another interesting game of baseball was played last Monday between the boys of the Pikeville College Institute and those of the public school. The public school team again won by 6 innings. Allen Quartermain.

EAST POINT.

The funeral of Mrs. E. L. Webb Conley was ably preached on Sunday last, by Rev. Oaks of the Christian Church. Quite a number of people from Paintsville and other neighboring places were present.

The "Saints" held services at their chapel at this place Saturday and Sunday week.

On Sunday last the Hager Hill Sunday School was brightened by the presence of Mr. Ben Hager and his bride. We heartily congratulate Mr. Hager on his worthy choice and wish him a long and prosperous voyage on matrimonial seas.

Rev. Holley failed to fill his first appointment at Hager Hill.

English, the little daughter of R. A. E. Leslie, who was so severely burned is almost well.

Mrs. C. Conley is recovering from injuries received in falling down stairs.

Mrs. Exor Hager was the guest of Misses Myrtle and Sallie Leslie, Friday.

Adams made home folks a visit recently.

Geo. Rice has completed his new store building and is now busy "stocking up."

Merchant John Auxier has made some very handsome improvements on his store and residence.

Floyd Leslie of Floyd County, passed through here enroute to Whitehouse.

Work on the R. R. continues, it gives employment to quite a number of our people.

An infant son of Sherman Blair is very sick. Fairy.

PAINTSVILLE.

Building houses seems to be the order of the day.

Bug Preston, Mrs. S. C. Wheeler and Mrs. Lee Patrick are each building a fine dwelling house.

Dr. F. M. Bayes and many others are building side walks.

The M. E. Church South will soon build a parsonage.

There is not a vacant house in town.

In the Magoffin Circuit Court at the present term Ed Keaton was given 21 years in the penitentiary for killing Elliott Arnett.

Jack Collinsworth was given five years for killing Pierce Patton.

John W. Howard, who was convicted in the Magoffin Circuit Court at the last term and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary appealed his case to the court of Appeals, where the judgment was affirmed. He then appealed to Governor Beckham for a pardon. The Governor refused the application last week. So it seems that Howard will have to suffer the penalty.

Our Circuit Court commences here next Monday, with two murder cases and several other felonies on the docket.

We think we can report a wedding next week.

Isom Stone has moved back here from West Virginia.

The re-union held at Little Mudlick last Saturday was largely attended and was pronounced a success. Rockefeller.

A delicious tomato salad is made with re-enforcement of onions and cucumbers. Sealed, peeled and sliced thin four solid tomatoes. Put one-half of the pieces in the bottom of a salad bowl and sprinkle them with chopped onion, salt, pepper and a layer of cucumbers. Add the rest of the tomatoes and season them in the same manner. Stand the bowl on the ice for an hour. Then drain off all liquid and sprinkle with oil and vinegar.

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WARFIELD.

The railroad boom has struck us and Warfield is alive again after many years of lethargy. Every one who wants work can find it at home and those who want to be killed around blind tigers can get killed at home.

Wagons, carts, niggers and mules are in evidence everywhere and our chipper little mill on Buck is shipping thousands of feet of lumber up and down Tug river to build commissaries, shacks, stables &c.

The blasting along the railroad line reminds an old soldier of war times, as much as 25 and 30 kegs of powder is put off at one time.

Messrs. Stencil and Smith, of Huntington, are at work on the tunnel just opposite Warfield. They have a quiet gentlemanly crew of white men thus far.

Two negroes were badly wounded by blasts, one at Sand Gut and one at Bull tunnel recently. It is said by premature explosions.

Preston Pauley was badly wounded by Jeff Evans near a blind tiger at Middle of Wolfe Creek shoals. He carries two loads of squirrel shot in him from his breast to his ankle. This happened on 29th. Can't drink. Recovery, doubtful. Evans is at large.

Land trades are lively. Rights-of-way difficulties practically settled by the Court and condemnation commission.

Our stores are on the increase and as a rule overstocked. Changes in houses and hotels too numerous to mention in this letter. J. D.

LICK CREEK.

The public school will give a pie mite at the school house on the third Saturday night in this month for the purpose of purchasing a Dictionary &c for the school. All are invited to "lend a hand" as a pleasant evening is in store for all who attend.

Last Sunday was the scene of a memorable family reunion at the home of our venerable clergyman Bro John R. Chapman, from the fact that at no other time in the history of the family was ever at one time all the members of the family together. The joys of the day were marred only by the illness of a daughter, Miss Ida, who is now sick with fever.

When the knell of parting day was sounded the twelve children shook parting hands and bade adieu, perhaps for the last time this side of Eternity; religious obligations were renewed and if no more reunions are here, there will be a happy reunion in the world beyond the stars where partings ne'er come.

The funeral of Wyatt Atkins at Chintz Chapel two Sundays ago by Rev. Hostetter, was largely attended. Text Job 14-15, was ably discussed and attentively listened to.

Oscar Hughes has erected a new building and is now occupying the same having lately removed into it.

W. P. Compton has removed to his old home on Reuban after an absence of several months.

Jas. Compton has moved over to the Rowe farm near W. T. Pigg's store.

At the reorganization of the Sunday school at the church here last Sunday, W. R. Childers was elected Supt. and Sam Hughes Assistant, with good prospects for a good Sunday school all winter. It is an assured fact that the present efforts will make it a success.

Our public school is moving nicely, in fact it is one of the best schools in the county. Percentage of attendance based on census 57.3. Percentage of attendance based on enrollment 87.

Our good friend Ned Collins just across the way next to Blaine is the champion corn raiser. He gathered 52-2 bushels of corn from one acre of land and has 15 or 20 acres just as good as on a little better yet to save, but then Ned has a good farm.

Jesse K. Thomson is now fully recovered from his affliction foot.

Mrs. John B. See is again out after several days illness.

B. F. Diamond, our Justice of the Peace is at Louisa this week attending to his duties as a member of the Fiscal Court.

Attorneys D. C. O'Neal and Fugate had a law twist here last week.

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GEORGE'S CREEK.

W. S. Martin made his farewell address to our Sunday school, last Sunday. He has been our superintendent for four years and we are sorry to see him leave us. L. C. Compton has taken his place and we hope he will carry on the Sunday school with success.

Rev. Hunt preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation at the Burgess Chapel Sunday.

Miss Ama Williamson who has been visiting on Rockcastle returned home Saturday.

James Boyd was at Mack Miller's Sunday.

Miss Nancy Miller is fast improving.

Miss Sarah Lamaster is still improving.

Uncle Al Miller fell the other day and hurt himself badly.

What has become of the Mountain boy?

James Boyd says he is a standing candidate for Jailor.

Mrs. Mary E. Miller visited on Lick Creek recently.

Lanzo Boyd has been trading for calves lately.

Jas Boyd was again elected secretary last Sunday in our Sunday school. He has been secretary for ten years. He takes a great interest in Sunday school, but is talking of leaving our creek in the near future.

Malissa Boyd's health is growing worse.

Mrs. Sherman Boyd died recently with fever leaving a husband and two children.

Cracker Jack.

Stops The Cough and Works off the Cold
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no pay.

ULYSSES.

Joseph Preston has just completed a big fill in the road at his home.

We are glad to note that Alfred Debord, John Debord and Hattie Young, who have had fever, are able to be out again.

Reuben Borders is improving.

Ernest Borders is low with fever.

Mrs. John Debord has typhoid fever.

Sunday school at Border's Chapel went into "winter quarters" last Sunday.

Lydia Lemaster, Mart Borders and wife were guests of Sylvester and Naaman Borders last Sunday.

J. G. Edwards was on our streets Monday.

We will put our river folks at this place against the county raising watermelons. John Preston raised over 600 and Frank Preston sold enough to bring \$30.

Joseph Edwards says he is going to the Worlds Fair.

Walter Borders, who has been very low, is improving.

Forest Borders is building a new house.

FRIDAY OCT. 10, 1902.

Meats and

Groceries.

CALIFORNIA HONEY,
at wholesale and retail.Best Grades of Flour at the
Lowest Prices.I pay the highest market prices for
country ham and bacon.Call and see me. My prices will suit.
R. S. CHAFFIN.Mrs. J. G. Burns is visiting Mrs.
W. G. Rathbone in Catlettsburg.Go to Robt. Burchett's for fresh
fruits of all kind.Buck Cretcher is having his
house on Lock Avenue painted.Malta Vita, Force, Grapenot,
Iostum & Sullivan's.Mrs. K. F. Vinson who has been
ill is improving.Fresh bananas, peaches and
apples found at Robt. Burchett's.The state convention of the W.
C. T. U. met in Madisonville last
week.When you want something nice
in stationery, go to Conley's.The children of J. E. Meloy, who
have been sick of fever for two
weeks, are improving.You can always find fresh can-
dies at Robt. Burchett's.The pension of Wm C. May,
Fallsburg, has been increased to
\$12 per month.New Stock of ladies vests and
hosiery just received, of prices that
will suit you at A. J. Loar & Co.The pension of George H.
Whitten, Cherokee, has been in-
creased to \$10.If you want to save money, buy
winter shoes, clothing and groceries
at G. V. Meek.Jas. B. Peters has moved his
family back to town after spend-
ing the summer at Clifford.MEN WANTED at Hubbardstown
and Round Bottom, W. Va.
SAVAGE & HOUTSON, Contractors.Who is it that sells the cheap
furniture and stoves?The Louisa Furniture Company,
of course.U. S. Marshal Thos. Salyer took
Tom Tinker Garred to West Vir-
ginia yesterday to answer a charge
of selling whiskey.Full consideration of quality
will show Snyder Bros. to be the
cheapest place in this section to
buy furniture.The News office is under obliga-
tions to Mrs. G. W. Wroten for
some very fine "White Pearl" roses
which she sent us Wednesday.The Louisa Furniture Company
is the place to buy your cheap
windows and doors, buggies and
wagons.O. S. Horton came home from
Letcher county quite sick, a few
days ago, threatened with fever.
He is now much better, however.New Stock Clothing Hat, Shoes
and mens furnishing goods at bar-
gain prices at A. J. Loar & Co.Isaac Edwards, who has lived at
Sistersville, W. Va., several
years, has returned to this county
and purchased the J. F. Meek
farm near Busseyville.We have four new wagons, three
new buggies, one second hand sur-
vey which we will trade for young
cattle. SNYDER BROS.FOR SALE:—The J. W. M. Ste-
wart residence, in Louisa. Price
reasonable and terms easy. Apply
to M. F. Conley.Dr. H. O. Cease and Lys Wilson
went to Ashland Monday to erect
one of the Doctor's fire escapes on
the Aldine Hotel.If you want a good suit of clothes
or over coat and your money's
worth look at A. J. Loar & Co.Among Conley's new books are:
"Dorothy Vernon," "Audrey,"
"Dorothy Kingsley," "Graustark"
and "The Crisis," at \$1.25 each.If you want a ladies fine shoe
that will fit and wear, buy Drew
Selly & Co. Celebrated fine shoes
at A. J. Loar & Co.Jas. Rowe, of Cassville, has been
appointed a lock tender on the dam
at M. Rietz, 10-12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.We are selling good furniture
cheaper than other people are sell-
ing cheap furniture. Convince
yourselves by looking at our stock.
SNYDER BROS.The Louisa Furniture Company
has just received a car load of mat-
tresses and bed springs, and will
sell them at \$1.75 each—like the
ones that are being sold at \$2.25
elsewhere in town.At last accounts from Pikeville
Emmette Ferguson was slightly
improved, though still very sick.The little daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. T. B. Meyer, of Huntington,
is dangerously ill with spinal men-
ingitis.If you want a good shirt that
will fit and wear, buy the Poun-
tain Shirt at A. J. Loar & Co.Milt Vinson, of this place, and
Miss Nellie Wellman, daughter of
James Harvey Wellman, who lives
near Fort Gay, W. Va., were mar-
ried Wednesday by Rev. S. F. Rey-
nolds.MATTRESSES, \$1.65.—We are sell-
ing mattresses at \$1.65 each, the
same kind that others are asking
\$1.75 to \$2.25 for.

SNYDER BROS., Louisa, Ky.

Capt. O. D. Botner has purchased
the property now occupied by J.
W. Jones and will move into it as
soon as Mr. Jones gets into his new
house on Franklin street.The City council met Tuesday
evening. There was not much
business before the body to be
transacted. A partial settlement
was made by Wm. Wilson, ex-mar-
shal.County Attorney G. E. Fugitt
has purchased the Ross cottage on
the corner of Perry and Water
streets and is having it repaired
and painted. He will move into it
as soon as completed.Subscriptions to the weekly Cin-
cinnati Enquirer will be received at
the Big SANDY News office at
50 cents per year until October 30th,
1902. This offer is open only to
persons taking the NEWS.The News failed to mention last
week that Mrs. J. B. Spencer was
given the premium at the Law-
rence County Fair for the best tur-
keys. She also entered the same
number of articles of her own make
as Mrs. O. S. Horton.Rev. G. W. Howes and family
left Tuesday for Tollesboro, Ky.,
his new appointment. During his
two years' service here he proved
to be a very faithful and consistent
minister, and he had many friends
who regretted his going away.On last Sunday morning Dr. J.
M. Boland opened his third year's
service here as pastor of the M. E.
Church South with one of the best
sermons of his entire ministry. A
large congregation was out to hear
him.Rev. F. F. Shannon preached his
farewell sermon at this place Sun-
day night to a crowded house. He
left Monday, for a short visit to
Logan, W. Va., after which he will
go to Harrisburg, Pa., to take up
the editorial and lecture work for
the Anti-Saloon League.Wm. Holt recently traded his
residence property at the head of
main street to Dr. York for the
R. L. Hopkins property on Lick
creek, near Louisa. Sheriff Jesse
Cordle now occupies the house and
as soon as he vacates it Mr. Holt
will move into it.The largest stock of winter goods
ever brought to Louisa now open
and must go at cut prices. All
solid leather shoes, up to date
clothing, calicoes, outtings, winter
goods of all kinds. See our goods
and the prices we quote will con-
vince you we are the cheapest.

G. V. Meek. (15)

'Hello Sam, what you wine?'

'To G. V. Meek's Cheap Cash
Store, in case.''Bet I kin guess' what you're
after.' 'Well, guess.'

'Big pair shoes all solid leather?'

'Yes! Two suits and underwear that'll
last two years.' 'Yes! Big suit
clothes that'll last forever and turn
to a steamboat.' 'Yes!''Well, you're the gassenest nigger
I ever saw, so meet me at
Meek's store.'The series of meetings conducted
by Elders Gamboe and Stambaugh
of the Christian Church, at the
City Hall came to a close on Sun-
day morning, with six accessions
to the Church.Elder Gamboe is a strong reason-
er of the scriptures, and under
ordinary circumstances his labor's
would have brought about much
more visible results. However, we
feel that the seed of the gospel has
been sown, and that the Master
will bless the labor of his servants.
The kindly interest displayed by
members of other congregations in
these meetings were highly ap-
preciated. W. E. Houston, Elder.A new and novel piece of casualty
was uncovered in Louisa a few days
ago. A man living several miles
out in the country brought a load
of tan bark to town and sold it to
Col. Northup at a certain price per
pound. The wagon and its load
were weighed and the man was
paid for the number of pounds
called by the weight ticket. In
unloading it, an employee of
Col. Northup's happened to be
present and he was somewhat
astonished to find that two barrels
of sorghum were in the wagon,
covered by tan bark. As the fel-
low refused to turn the sorghum
over, Col. Northup at the tan
bark, he was compelled to re-
fuse the money he had fraudulent-
ly obtained. It is evident that he
should be allowed to unload
bark, but by his lonesome.

An Open Letter.

To the Chairman and members
of the 20th Judicial District Com-
mittee of Ky.Gentlemen: I see by the papers
that you have called a convention
of the district for the 20th Nov. 1902,
to nominate a candidate for Cir-
cuit Judge and Commonwealth atty.I in common with other Democrats
would like to know why the con-
vention was called a year before
the election? It is unusual. Do
you think it wise to do so and is it
in the interest of the Democratic
party? I do not think it would be
to the interest of any candidate or
the party either. In my judgment
it would be well for the commu-
nity to consider it action and call
the convention to meet in May 1903. I
make this suggestion.Yours Respectfully,
Mordicia Williams.

October 7, 1902.

ALSO WANTS LATER CONVENTION.

Webbville, Oct. 4.

If you will all allow a loyal
Democrat a small amount of space
in your paper I would like to say
that I am surprised to see a call
already for the convention to nomi-
nate candidates for Circuit Judge
and Commonwealth's Attorney to
be held in next month.I do not even know of a candi-
date for Circuit Judge. It is al-
most too early for candidates, the
election being more than a year
off. These officers are so import-
ant that nominations should be
made with the greatest care. We
can not afford to be unduly hasty
in making selections.It may be plain to some why
this unprecedented action has been
taken, but I confess that I do not
understand it. But I do feel cer-
tain the committee has made a ser-
ious blunder in putting the date so
early. Also, in giving such short
notice. It has never been done be-
fore. Next spring or summer
would be the proper time.I, for one, respectfully ask that
committee to cancel this date and
set the time a few months later.

Democrat.

The Seaboard Airline.

Two engineering corps of the
Seaboard Airline railroad met at
Louisa a few days ago. One came
down Tug river and the others
from the direction of Ashland.The line already surveyed above
here extends along the west side of
Tug river from Naugatuck down
to Louisa. A corps started from
Naugatuck recently going in the
direction of the Breaks. The line
in contemplation goes up Peter
Creek and across to the waters of
John's creek, following some
branch of that stream to the most
favorable point for getting through
to Levisa fork of Big Sandy. This
will probably be several miles
above Pikeville. One branch of
John's creek runs within seven
miles of the Levisa at one point be-
tween Pikeville and the Breaks.
Another available route in pros-
pect is to go up Wolf creek from
Tug river and then across to
John's creek. Both of these routes
lead through rich coal fields.Between Louisa and Ashland the
route surveyed by the Seaboard
is said to be entirely practicable
and remarkably easy for a cross-
country line. It crosses the Levisa
fork at the south end of Louisa,
running around the foot of the hill
to the north end. There a tunnel
will be necessary to get through to
Two-mile creek. Another tunnel
will take them to Gaines branch or
Harris branch of Blaine. One more
tunnel is needed several miles fur-
ther on to get from the waters of
Blaine to East Fork. From there
the road would have easy sailing to
the Ohio river at the mouth of
Hoods creek, just below Ashland.
The distance is 32 miles.'Do you think the Seaboard will
build?' is the question asked on
all sides. We should like to be
able to answer the question, but
can not do so. Everybody hopes
it will, however.Work on the N. & W. railroad is
moving along at a lively pace in
all sections. Right of way through
all property not already settled is
now being obtained by condemna-
tion.Last week, the mail bag for the
fast C. & O. train, was stolen off of
crane, at Ceredo, and robbed. The
bag was found near Kellogg after
it had been rifled. Two registered
packages were secured.The Music Department of the
Ashland Parochial School opens
Sept. 4th. Complete courses are
given in piano, voice, guitar, and
mandolin. The teacher of this de-
partment is a graduate of the Con-
servatory of Music, Minneapolis,
Minn., and for a number of years
has been principal of the Depart-
ment of Music in the Academy of
Lourdes, Rochester, Minnesota.Apply to REV. N. N. GOSSELIN,
Ashland, Ky.

Grand Millinery Opening.

I will hold my grand millinery
opening Thursday, October 2, and
invite the ladies of Louisa and vi-
cinity to attend. I will for the re-
mainder of the season show the
handsomest line of millinery ever
brought to this section of the coun-
try. Miss EMMA BAGLEY,
Broadway street,
Ashland, Ky.

A Good Beginning.

The monthly meeting of the Wom-
an's Foreign Missionary Society,
met, October 7th at the residence of
Judge James E. Stewart, Mrs.
Stewart being one of the charter
members of our society, and Mrs.
Albert Campbell, her daughter, an
active member. On account of
Judge Stewart's health, Mrs. Ste-
wart preferred Mrs. Campbell being
hostess. (Well might that father
and mother have looked on with
pride and pleasure.)We had a large attendance, and
our pastor came to bid us God
speed, as is his custom at the first
meeting of the Conference new
year. The program was very in-
teresting and I think helpful. Our
meetings are always religious, but
this was the best one we have had
in years.The prayer offered by Dr Boland
was appropriate and touching.
Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace read the
statement, in our Sunday School
Magazine (page 622) about the
"Three Missionary Societies of our
Church", which brought forth a
discussion of the work and the
methods of carrying on the work—
it proved helpful to all. The re-
port for the quarter ending Sep-
tember the tenth was a decided
improvement on the second quar-
ter for last year. We are encourag-
ed, and hope to regain all our
Charter members, we need their
presence, their advice and their in-
fluence. We obtained six new sub-
scribers for the "Woman's Mission-
ary Advocate." After the closing
hymn Mrs. Campbell invited us to
the dining room which sparkled
with silver and cut glass. We
were reminded of the lovely wed-
ding which took place just a few
months ago, when our beautiful
hostess was the bride. Now the
dainty refreshments were served
in her gifts on that occasion, amid
the fragrant flowers of the season.The entire house was a vision of
beauty. It was very difficult to
leave such a "creation" and go to
our homely duties—so we lingered
until the evening shades drew on.The fragrance of that October
meeting, the first of the year,
1902-3 will float down the halls of
memory, for many a year to come,
and we hope that the beauty and
sweetness of this occasion may en-
ter into the lives of that home and
that ever-lasting joy, may be their
portion. B. J. H.

Death of Birdie Hutchison.

Miss Birdie Hutchinson died at
two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, at
the home of Chas. Warren, of
Buchanan, after an illness of only
five days. Peritonitis was the
fatal disease that caused her death
and the intense suffering endured
during those few days and nights.She had the constant attention
of competent physicians and kind
friends, but her ailment was too
much for human skill. Be-
tween paroxysms of pain she was
rational and fully realized her con-
dition, giving minute instructions
as to her funeral and burial. Her
home was at Fallsburg, but she
was teaching school at Buchanan,
and the people there are unanimous
in the declaration that she was
doing the most effective school
work they ever had in that district.
She was a model young woman, of
lofty ideas, and the highest type
of christian character. Her age was
23. She was the youngest daughter
of Vinton Hutchinson, deceased.
At the bedside during her last hours
were her brothers, Fred and Luther,
and sister Mrs. G. W. Norris. The
body was conveyed to Fallsburg
and the burial took place there
Wednesday afternoon. Revs.
Clifton Dean and B. F. Rice con-
ducted the funeral services.

Fiscal Court.

The Lawrence Fiscal Court is
now in session with all the Magis-
trates present, as follows: A. J.
Webb, Tandy Giles, B. F. Diamond,
J. W. Perry, John Compton, M. G.
Berry, Lewis Swan and John
Sparks.The consideration of claims is
about all the business before the
court, except the matter of a road
and bridge commissioner. It will
be remembered that no election
was reached at the April term and
J. W. Shortridge held over. The of-
fice was declared vacant at the
present term of court, and there
were two propositions before the
body. One was to elect a com-
missioner and the other was to
leave the office vacant until the
county gets out of debt, the work
absolutely necessary in the mean-
time being done by the magistrates
in their respective districts.No decision had been reached up
to time of going to press.

Boiler Explosion.

The boiler used in a small grist
mill at Yatesville, eight miles from
Louisa, exploded Tuesday morn-
ing. The boiler went out through
the roof and struck the ground
150 feet away, on the side of a hill.
Engine, mill and men were blown
in all directions, and it is mirac-
ulous how all escaped instant death.Thos. Hayten received the worst
injuries. He was hurt internally,
besides many burns and bruises,
but it is thought he may recover.
Deil Mancy was also severely hurt.
A young son of George Short was
badly scalded. James Short and
George Short were slightly injured.
Thos. Caines sustained a scalp
wound and other painful injuries.
The mill was the property of
George Short. The cause of the
explosion was not learned.

PERSONALS.

M. J. Webb was in Ashland Tues-
day.A. O. Carter was in Huntington
Saturday.Mrs. Alexander Lackey is visit-
ing in Ashland.J. C. Butler returned Friday
from Cincinnati.Frank Ross, of Catlettsburg, was
in Louisa yesterday.Mont Holt was in from Bussey-
ville over Sunday.M. V. Ward was here from Erie,
W. Va. Wednesday.Dr. A. P. Banfield of Buchanan
was here Wednesday.D. A. O'Daniel of Huletts was a
Louisa visitor Wednesday.J. W. and Joe B. Preston of Pat-
rick were in Louisa this week.Mrs. A. J. Loar and little daugh-
ter have been visiting in Hunting-
ton.Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Biggs return-
ed Monday from a visit in Hunt-
ington.Miss Kate Freese has been visit-
ing Mrs. Charles Russell in Ash-
land.Miss Mattie Bayes has returned
from a visit to her mother at
East Point.Prof. G. W. Chapman, of Green-
up, spent Sunday with his parents
near this place.Chas. Johnson and family re-
turned to their home at Thacker,
W. Va., after a visit to Louisa re-
latives.Mrs. Mattie Burton, of Irad, has
returned from a visit to her sister,
Mrs. Elizabeth Wechler in Catletts-
burg.Mr. Talt Everett, of Guyandotte,
W. Va., and daughter, Mrs. Jerry
Engle of Fairmont, W. Va., are
guests of relatives here.E. S. Hughes, of Huntington;
A. B. Dawson, of Maysville and
J. G. Richards of Lebanon, travel-
ing salesmen, were in Louisa Mon-
day.Mrs. F. M. Henry and little son
Francis left for their home at Pike-
ville, Tenn. Tuesday, after a visit
of several weeks to her mother,
Mrs. Onolda Burgess, at Gallup.Miss Virginia Burchett left yester-
day for her home in East Liver-
pool, Ohio, after a visit of three
months to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bur-
chett. She was accompanied as
far as Huntington by Miss Hilde-
garde Roffe.The American Car & Foundry
Company of Huntington has re-
ceived an order from the Seaboard
Air Line for seven hundred box
cars.John Kelly, Sr., of Wayne, sued
the Ohio River Railroad Company
for damage for running over and
killing his son, James Kelly, ob-
tained judgment for \$5,000.Huntington, W. Va., Oct. 4.—The
Lincoln Coal Company, of this city,
whose miners are on Guyan river,
today sold five hundred cars of
soft coal to New York parties at \$3
per ton at the mines in the history
of West Virginia mining.Lon Thompson, a young man of
Huntington, while out con hunt-
ing with a party of friends Wednes-
day night, was shot in the legs
with a shotgun in the hands of
Thomas Stevens, a farmer, near
Gallaher. The cause of the shoot-
ing is unknown. Stevens is
under arrest.The jury in the damage suit
of Martin against the Norfolk &
Western Railroad company, which
has been on trial before the Fed-
eral court, brought in a verdict for
the defendant. Sam Wilson
who lives on Trace creek some
seven miles from Wayne, last Sun-
day when he and his family re-
turned home from church, found a
strange man hid in the closet. He
was finally captured and gave his
name as Wilson, and his home as
in Tennessee. The man had en-
tered the house and secured such
articles as he wanted, and hearing
the family coming, ran into the
closet. He attempted to escape, but
after a few shots were fired he sur-
rendered. He was brought to jail.Rev. E. C. Switzer has been
returned to the Wayne work by the
late Southern Methodist Confer-
ence. This will be pleasant news
to his church. Rev. Switzer and
his wife have many friends here,
and our people could not have been
better suited. Rev. S. A. Donahoe,
a Wayne county boy is made pre-
siding elder over this district.The Episcopal Church of West
Virginia has decided to establish a
great school for young ladies in
this State, and has raised between
thirty and forty thousand dollars
for that purpose. The location of
the school it is said will likely be
decided this week, and an effort
is being made to secure it in Elkins,
which will doubtless be successful,
as thirty thousand dollars can be
secured in Elkins.—Wayne News.JACKETS
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G. W. GUNNELL,

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OUR NEIGHBORS.

The pension of Joshua H. Bayes,
Rice, has been increased to \$12.Louis P. Bailey, Salyersville, has
been granted a pension of \$8 per
month.Louis Preston's pension has been
increased to \$10, Milo, Martin
county.The pension of Alfred A. Hagar,
Calt Creek, Martin County, has
been increased to \$8.The Cincinnati league baseball
team played at Ashland Tuesday.
The score was 8 to 4 in favor of
Cincinnati.At Pikeville George Fleming was
given a five-years' sentence for
shooting into an old man's house
and wounding several people.Prof. Geo. W. Chapman of
Greenup, left Sunday for his long
eastern trip to Portland, Me., to
represent Kentucky in the
supreme Castle, Knights of the
Golden Eagle.A meeting of the trustees for the
new college to be established at
Paintsville under the auspices of
the M. E. Church South has been
called for next Wednesday. This
will be the first meeting. It will
be held at Paintsville.Nannie Gilliam, 9, of Olive H. H.,
dropped a revolver, which exploded,
the bullet passing through her
knee, cutting off one of her grand-
mother's fingers and lodging in the
latters temple. The aged lady will
die and the girl will lose the lower
part of her leg.R. B. Neal, the evangelist of
Grayson, announces that there will
be a conference of preachers, elders
and Sunday school workers at
Morehead, Rowan county, from
November 28 to 31. During the
session Burgess Hall, the new \$10-
000 building of the Morehead
Mountain Mission College, will be
dedicated.The matter of selecting a place
for holding next year's conference
of the M. E. Church was left to a
committee composed of the Pres-
iding Elders of the Ashland, Lex-
ington and the Covington districts
and the pastors in those cities. It
is supposed that the committee
will select some point in the east-
ern part of the State.Rev. Cyrus Riffe, who has been
returned to the Panola Street M. E.
Church, for the coming conference
year preached two sermons yester-
day morning and evening.Rev. Riffe returns from confer-
ence with renewed energy and
enthusiasm, part of which is already
imparted to his members, who
with their pastor, are much in-
terested in making this a success-
ful year.—Catlettsburg Press.The Kentucky and West Vir-
ginia conference of the M. P.
church was lately held at Com-
pton, Wolf county. The Secretary
of the

